

Samuel Happeny's Cello Studio

Studio Policy

Payment of Tuition

Payment is due by the 1st of each month. Payments received after the 7th will be subject to a \$10 late charge. If payment is not made by the 15th, lessons will be suspended until the account is settled. Tuition cost is at a flat rate of \$153/month for 30-minute lessons, \$229/month for 45-minute lessons, and \$306/month for 60-minute lessons. This rate is calculated based on 46 lessons per year at \$40 per half-hour.

$$\frac{\$40 \times 46}{12} = \$153.33$$

Pro-rated lessons are billed at \$80/hour. During the year there will be 6 weeks total when the studio is closed. These scheduled closings are factored into tuition cost. There is a yearly \$30 registration fee due to the Cincinnati Music Academy when students begin lessons and again each year in September.

Missed lessons

Rescheduling lessons is only permitted within two weeks of the original scheduled lesson time. Lessons canceled or no show with less than 24-hours notice are not entitled to a make up lesson. Illness and family emergencies are exempt from this policy, but must be rescheduled within 4-weeks of the missed lesson. Tuition remains the same every month regardless of missed lessons.

Termination of Lessons

Two weeks' notice is necessary to terminate lessons. During this time the student's account will be reviewed and the remaining balance paid in full.

Materials

All students are required to have an instrument of their own to practice with. Recommended items are, rosin, rock stop, metronome, and materials provided for lessons. Assignments for suggested practice will be given to the student during lessons. Many paper materials can be used in digital form for ease of use.